## BEFORE THE NEBRASKA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In the Matter of Kearney County,	)	Applicati	on No.	911-0	023.19
Minden, seeking funding approval	)				
for recurring and non-recurring	)	ORDER APP	ROVING	FUND:	ING
costs of Enhanced Wireless 911	)				
implementation.	)				
	)	Entered:	Octobe	er 2,	2007

## BY THE COMMISSION:

By written request for funding received from Kearney County, Minden, seeks funding from the Enhanced Wireless 911 Fund (Fund), for implementing and providing enhanced wireless 911 service.

In its application, Kearney County seeks non-recurring costs in the amount of \$16,000.00 for the purchase and installation of software necessary for enhanced wireless 911 service. Kearney County entered into a contract with GeoComm, Inc. (GeoComm) for the purchase, installation, training, and one-year maintenance of GeoLynx software and has provided a copy of the contract with its request for funding.

All amounts requested are consistent with GeoComm's response to the Commission's RFP. Kearney County has already made payment to GeoComm and is therefore seeking reimbursement.

## OPINION AND FINDINGS

This request for additional funding is being processed pursuant to <u>Neb</u>. <u>Rev</u>. <u>Stat</u>. §§ 86-442 to 86-470. (Cum. Supp. 2006), 291 Neb. Admin. Code, Chapter 1, Section 5, Progression Order No. 5 in Commission Docket No. 911-001, entered July 16, 2002 and the Interim Policy established in Progression Order No. 1 in Commission Docket No. 911-017/PI-116, entered February 13, 2007 (Interim Policy).

Costs requested are eligible under  $\underline{\text{Neb}}$ .  $\underline{\text{Rev}}$ .  $\underline{\text{Stat}}$ . § 86-465 (2006 Supp.). All costs have been incurred or will be incurred for the provision of Phase II wireless enhanced 911 service.

The Commission finds that payment should be made to Kearney County in the amount of \$16,000.00 upon the receipt of supporting documentation of payment.

The Commission reserves the right to modify any costs associated with this funding request consistent with amendments to the Interim Policy or the establishment of a permanent funding mechanism.

If the Nebraska Legislature fails to appropriate or authorize the expenditure of sufficient funds to provide for the payment of costs from the Fund or, if a lawful order issued in or for any fiscal year during the term of the contract reduces the funds appropriated or authorized in such amounts as to preclude making the payments from the Fund, the Commission will not be responsible for any costs not reimbursed by the Fund.

## ORDER

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED by the Nebraska Public Service Commission that the request for funding of Kearney County shall be granted.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that the Commission shall remit to Kearney County from the Enhanced Wireless 911 Fund \$16,000.00 for non-recurring costs as described herein.

MADE AND ENTERED at Lincoln, Nebraska this 2nd day of October, 2007.

NEBRASKA PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

COMMISSIONERS CONCURRING:

Chairman

ATTEST:

Deputy Director